## ADVERTISEMENT FOR UN-PRICED BID PROPOSALS

The Marion County, Mississippi, Board of Supervisors will receive un-priced bid proposals for a five (5) year term lease purchase contract bid to lease purchase one (1) or more Tandem Axle 66,000 GVW Dump Trucks for use by Supervisor's District No. 4, in the following manner, to wit:

Unpriced bid proposals will be accepted until 10:00 A.M., on Monday, June 20, 2022, at the office of the Marion County Board of Supervisors, 215 Broad Street, Columbia, Mississippi 39429, or by electronic bid submission. Submitted proposals will be evaluated and vendors submitting acceptable offers will be invited to submit priced bids. Electronic bids and/or reserve auction bids can be submitted at <a href="www.centralbidding.com">www.centralbidding.com</a>. For any questions relating to the electronic bidding process, please call Central Bidding at (225) 810-4814.

The equipment offered shall be according to minimum specifications therefor in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Marion County, Mississippi. Specifications are also available through Central Bidding at <a href="https://www.centralbidding.com">www.centralbidding.com</a>.

Bidding will be held by electronic reverse auction on Wednesday, June 22, 2022, starting at 10:00 a.m. and ending at 11:00 a.m. at <a href="www.centralbidding.com">www.centralbidding.com</a>. Alternatively, written bids shall be sealed and clearly labeled on the outside of the bid envelope "District 4 Dump Truck Bid" and delivered to the office of the Marion County Board of Supervisors at the above address.

The Board of Supervisors of Marion County, Mississippi, reserves the right to utilize "anti-sniping" for reverse auctions. Anti-sniping is a tool that automatically extends the bid time for a reverse auction by fifteen (15) minutes if a vendor places a bid in the final five (5) minutes of the reverse auction. The anti-sniping effect will auto-extend the reverse auction bid time any time a bid is placed in the last five (5) minutes of the reverse auction and can auto-extend the reverse auction multiple times until the bidding on the reverse auction ends.

Bidders planning to use surrogate bidding will need to arrive thirty minutes before the bidding commences.

The Board of Supervisors of Marion County, Mississippi, reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any and all informalities.

This the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May, A. D., 2022.

/s/ Elisha P. Moree
Elisha P. Moree, Chancery Clerk

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